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CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application is related to U.S. Patent Applications, all of which are incorporated by reference herein:

Application No. 09/731,560 filed December 6, 2000, entitled "An Interface and Related Methods for Reducing Source Accesses in a Development System";

Application No. 09/732,084 filed December 6, 2000, entitled "A System and Related Interfaces Supporting the Processing of Media Content";

Application No. 09/731,490 filed December 6, 2000, entitled "A System and Related Methods for Reducing Source Filter Invocation in a Development Project";

Application No. 09/732,452 filed December 6, 2000, entitled "A System and Related Methods for Reducing Memory Requirements of a Media Processing System";

Application No. 09/732,087 filed December 6, 2000, entitled "An Interface and Related Methods for Dynamically Generating a Filter Graph in a Development System";

Application No. 09/732,090 filed December 6, 2000, entitled "A System and Related Methods for Processing Audio Content in a Filter Graph";

Application No. 09/732,085 filed December 6, 2000, entitled "A System and Methods for Generating an Managing Filter Strings in a Filter Graph";

Application No. 09/731,491 filed December 6, 2000, entitled "Methods and Systems for Processing Media Content";

Application No. 09/731,563 filed December 6, 2000, entitled "Systems for Managing Multiple Inputs and Methods and Systems for Processing Media Content":

Application No. 09/731,892 filed December 6, 2000, entitled "Methods and Systems for Implementing Dynamic Properties on Objects that Support Only Static Properties";

Application No. 09/732,089 filed December 6, 2000, entitled "Methods and Systems for Efficiently Processing Compressed and Uncompressed Media Content";

Application No. 09/731,581 filed December 6, 2000, entitled "Methods and Systems for Effecting Video Transitions Represented By Bitmaps";

Application No. 09/732,372 filed December 6, 2000, entitled "Methods and Systems for Mixing Digital Audio Signals"; and

Application No. 09/732,086 filed December 6, 2000, entitled "Methods and Systems for Processing Multi-media Editing Projects".

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- Application [[Serial]] No. [[_____]] 09/731,892 filed December 6, 2000, entitled "Methods and Systems for Implementing Dynamic Properties on Objects that Support Only Static Properties", naming Daniel J. Miller and David Maymudes as inventors, bearing attorney docket number MS1-638US:
- Application [[Serial]] No. [[____]] 09/732,089 filed December 6, 2000, entitled "Methods and Systems for Efficiently Processing Compressed and Uncompressed Media Content", naming Daniel J. Miller and Eric H. Rudolph as inventors, bearing attorney docket number MS1-630US:
- Application [[Serial]] No. [[____]] 09/731,581 filed December 6, 2000, entitled "Methods and Systems for Effecting Video Transitions Represented By Bitmaps", naming Daniel J. Miller and David Maymudes as inventors, bearing attorney docket number MS1-637US;
- Application [[Serial]] No.[[____]] 09/732,372 filed <u>December 6, 2000</u>, entitled "Methods and Systems for Mixing Digital Audio Signals", naming Eric H. Rudolph as inventor, bearing attorney docket number MS1-636US; and
- Application [[Serial]] No. [[]] 09/732,086 filed December 6, 2000, entitled "Methods and Systems for Processing Multi-media Editing Projects", naming Eric H. Rudolph as inventor, bearing attorney docket number MS1-641US.